Established February, 1845. HONGKONG, TUESDAY, AUGUST-16, 1887.

Vol. XLIII. No. 7487. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports CEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & CO., THE APOTHEGARIES Co., Colombo. NOTICE. depositor may deposit more than \$2,000 | up Capital of the Company, was declared, Hangkong, June 7, 1884. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- } \$7,500,000 W: H. FORBES, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. balance. On Fixed Deposits:--5 per cent. " . "

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MALL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill GORDON & GOTCH, Ladgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DEAGON & Co., 150 & 154,

Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, to Mr. ALEXANDER LEVY. -Cannon Street, E.C: PARIS AND EUROPE:—AMEDEI PRINCE & Co. 36. Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK ANDREW WIND, 21, Park

generally: BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-STRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEV ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Melhourse and Sydley.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINSZEN CHINA :- Macuo, F. A. DE CRUZ. Swatow, QUELOH & Co. Amoy, N. MOATLE. Frochow; Hedan & Co. Shanghai, LANE, CHAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CHAW-FORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. -

Banks.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG "SAVINGS" BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will ba conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 A T a MEETING of the Consulting Com-DIVIDEND of 6 PER CENT. for the half 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. -No year ending 30th June, 1887, on the Paid

and the same will be paid on the 31st in any one year. 3. Depositors in the Savings' Bank having August, to Shareholders on the register on \$100 or more at their credit may at the 18th Instant. their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corwill be "CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st poration on fixed deposit for 12 months August, both days inclusive. at 5 per cent per annum interest. 4. -Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. Secretach Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors, must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin

the OFFICES of the Company, No. 14. Praya, Central, on MONDAY, the 29th 6. - Correspondence as to the business instant, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of the Bank if marked On Honokone receiving the Report of the Directors, and Savings' Bank Business'is forwarded free a Statement of Accounts to 30th June. by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th

-Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent. and the production of his Pass-Book

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. JOHN WALTER

Acting Chief. Manager. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING | MIRE BRICKS OF SUPERIOR

CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND,......\$4,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman M. GROTE, Esq. Deputy Chairman - C. D. Borrowley, Esq. Hon. J. BELL IRVING. | H. HOPPIUS, Esq. W. H. F. DALBY, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEWEN. H. L. DALBYMPLE J. S. Moses, Esq. Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, EEQ. Acting Chief Manager-JOHN WALTER, Esq. MANAGER. Shaughai, Ewen Cameton, Haq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG. N Current Doposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annium on the daily

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. 5th Proximo, at 4 o'Clock p.m., for the Credits granted on approved Securifies, and every description of Banking—and purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to Exchange business transacted. 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends. Drafts granted on London, and th chief Commercial places in Europe, India will be CLOSED from the 23rd Instant to Australia, America, China and Japan. the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive.

JOHN WALTER, Acting Ohief Manager. Hongkong, July 18, 1887.

Notices of Firms.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Busi-NESS OF GENERAL STORE-REFERS and COMMISSION AGENTS previously carried on at Foochow, in the Empire of China, under the Firm or Chop of HOK LEE HONG & Co. by Tiong An Hox and Tan King Sing in Co-partnership, was DISSOLVED on the 6th day of January, 1887, and the Responsibility of the said Tan King Sing for any DEBT or LIABILITY incurred by the said Firm or Chop terminated on the 6th day of January, 1887. cupied by Dr. Rogers,

HOK LEE & Co., Foochow. Singapore, 17th May, 1887.

X/ITH Reference to the above, I, Trong An Hox of Foodhow, beg to notify the Public that the BUSINESS of the HOR LEE HONG & Co. as GENERAL STORE-REEPERS and COMMISSION AGENTS, is now being carried on at Foochow as heretofore by TAM KIM CHING, of Singapore, Merchant, and Myself under the Style of HOK LEE HONG & Co.; and that I hold RIM CHING as his Agent individually and also as a PARTNER in the said Firm, to transact all matters connected with the Business of the Firm at Foochow.

號六十月八年七十八百八千一英 Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE

THE AGENCY At this Port of Messra-CALDBECK MACGREGOR & Co.

Shanghai, has This Day been Transferred

WITH Reference to the above Notice,

of the BUSINESS at this Port of Messrs.

CALDBECK MACGREGOR & Co., WINE

Intimations.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONOKONG,

MASONS' HALL, Zotland Street, THIS

EVENING, the 16th Instant, at 8.30

for 9 p.m. VISITING BRETHERN are cordi-

NOTICE.

THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS will be Held in

Höngköng, August 13, 1887.

August, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, August 11, 1887.

By Order of the Board of Directors

HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT

COMPANY, LIMITED.

OFFICE, No. 5. QUEEN'S ROAD.

QUALITY FOR SALE

PRICE, \$30 PER _1,000.

The following Testimonial has been re-

ceived from F. W. CROSS, Esq. Manager,

'I have herewith much pleasure in testi-

'In appearance the Brick is light and soft

as compared with the ordinary Fire Brick

used in the Colony, but this I may say is

characteristic of the best English Fire

After a very severe test I have no hesi-

tation in saying that this Brick is admirably

suited to resist any degree of heat that it

may be likely to undergo and for all pur-

'I am now about to build them into one

of my Furnaces and have no doubt of their

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE Twenty-First Ordinary MEETING

. of SHAREHOLDERS in the above

Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE,

Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the

A. S. GARFIT.

Acting Secretary.

poses that Fire Bricks are used for.

Fire Bricks I have been using."

Hongkong, May 23, 1887,

By Order,

Hongkong, August 13, 1887.

DENTISTRY

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

MODERATE FEES

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,

Surgeon Dentist,

(FORMERLY ARTICLED APPRENTICE AND LAT-

TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROCERS,)

A T the urgent request of his European

A and American patients and friends,

has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly oc-

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

Discount to missionaries and families.

2, DUDDELL STREET,

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885, 66

THE Undersigned are Sole Agents for

THE MONTSERRAT LIME JUICE.

THE MONTSERRAT LIME JUICE

CORDIALS

Hongkong, May 3, 1887,

Hongkong and Manila for the Sale of

A. S. WATSON & Co., LD.

NOTICE.

CONSULTATION FREE

Sole Address

made by you at your new works. -

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY,

Secretary.

MITTEE held This Day, an Interim

Hongkong, August 16, 1887.

ally INVITED.

Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in the FREE-

and Spinit Menonants, Shanghai.

Hongkong-June 30, 1887.

I have This Day assumed CHARGE

E. JONES HUGHES.

ALEXANDER LEVY

Business Notices.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A NEW STOCK

TINKS'S PATENT DUPLEX TABLE, BRACKET, and SUSPENSION LAMPS MAIGNEN'S PATENT INDESTRUCTIBLE WILTRE RAPIDE

(for which L. C. & Co are Sole Agents) price \$6.00. BRIAR PIPES and CIGAR HOLDERS from 50 Cents upwards.

A FRESH ASSORTMENT OF

AND STRAW HATS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1887.

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horses in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the retuirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious. large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and SMOKING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

J. COOK, Proprietor.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS. CHARGES MODERATE. TIFFIN at 1 o'Clock. DINNER at 7:30.

VENTILATED BILLIARD TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS. WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY. Hongkong, April 1, 1887.

W. POWELL & Co.

TIENNIS DRESS MATERIALS. -(A New DRESS MATERIAL for Au-

\$1.00 per Pair. India-LONG CLOTHS. GENTLEMEN'S Black and Coloured FELT

HELMETS and TERAL HATS. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, July 26, 1887. (T E L E P H O N E 21).

BERGIN. BEZHIVE. SHETLAND and ANDA-Macrama TWINES New Colours, FRAMES for Macrame Work. CHILDREN'S TENNIS SHOES, from LADIES LINEN COLLARS & CUFFS. White & Coloured Pocket HANDKER.

New FRILLINGS and RIBBONS. PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS. BATHING TENTS. BATHING DRAWERS & COSTUMES.

ROBERT LANG & CO.,

Thave nerewith much pleasure in tosti- fying to the quality of the Fire Brioks as Tailors, Hutters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

EX LATE ARRIVALS.

OUR SPRING STOCK OF

ENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS and COLLARS! being able to stand as well as the English UNDERVESTS, PANTS and HALF-HOSE.

> BOOTS and SHOES. CHRISTY'S FELT, TERAI and STRAW HATS, CARLOWITZ & Co.'s and Messrs. Deddell UMBRELLAS,

HANDKERCHIEFS, &c.

Hongkong, April 6, 1887. Intimations. Intimations

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION: NTOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of August current, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of recoving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement

Accounts to 30th June, 1887 By Order of the Court of Directors, JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager Hongkong, August 8, 1887.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. MOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the

13th to the 27th day of August current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, JOHN WALTER,

Acting Chief Manager, Hongkong, August 8, 1887.

charge of Three Children, 8, 6 and will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-4 years of age. Apply to A. B. C., care of China Mail 864 Hongkong, August I, 1887.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co... Chronometer, Watch & Olock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths: TAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED-BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES, RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES

-ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, Christofle & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS - AND -DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742 NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.
In the Event of Complaints being-foun necessary, Communication with the Under-N. EUROPEAN WOMAN, to take signed is requested, when immediate steps

> D. GILLIES, 1439 Hongkoug, August 25, 1885.

LIOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

MONDAY the 20th August, at 5 o'Clock p.m., on the

Auctions.

No. 8, ALBANY ROAD, SNORMAN COTTAGE being the Remaining Portion of INLAND
LOT No. 648, with the BUILDINGS thereon, comprising an area of about 17,515 square feet. Subject to the pre--sent Tenancy, the Tenant to receive not less than 3 months' notice to quit. Crown Rent, \$13.64 per annum.

For further Particulars, apply to" H. N. MODY.

JIHE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION 59 Bales BOMBAY COTTON YARN.

1 CHEST PERSIAN OPIUM. Ex Steamship Kashgar was, on account of the inclement weather To-DAY, POSTPONED until Further Notice.

H. N. MODY. luctioneer. Hongkong, August 15, 1887.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & CHAMPAGNE

Pints \$21 Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES Baxtar's Celebrated "Barley Bree"

WHISKY, -871 per Case of 1 doz GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884

> To Let. TO BE LET. With Immediate Possession.

CUITE of ROOMS fronting the Praya and Pedder's Street upon the Ground Floor of Building recently occupied by Messrs, Melchers & Co. These Premises are well adapted for OFFICES or STORES. BISNEE VILLA, PORFULUM.

Apply to Estate Agents. Marine House. Hongkong, August 1, 1887. TO BE LET.

VERY COMFORTABLE FURNISHEE HOUSE. Commanding extensive Sea View, and very Cool in Summer. Apply at

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, June 10, 1887.

TO LET. DOOMS in COLLEGE CHAMBERS. Apply to

· DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, May 25, 1887. TO LET.

(With Early Possession.) THE DESIRABLE RESIDENCE GREENMOUNT. . Situated on the BONHAM ROAD. Apply to

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, farch 17, 1887. TO BE LET. INVO STORIED GODOWNS, between

- Apply to BELILIOS & Co.

Hongkong, August 9, 1887.

Shipping. Steamers.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Glenavon,
Captain Jacoss, will be
despatched as above on or about the 19th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hengkong) August 11, 1887. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-... SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

The P. & O. S. N. Co. s

Steamship

Thibet

will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 26th August, at.4 p.m. E-L-WOODIN. Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1537 STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

will leave for the above place about 24-hours after her arrival with the next English Mail. E. L. WOODIN, ___ Acting Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co, 's Office. -

Hongkong, August 13, 1887,

一日七十月六年亥丁

Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY

LIMITED. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Goddand, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Oo. General Managers. Mongkong, August 15, 1887

Noon, instead of as previously advertised:

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, August 15, 1887. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND - CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Davies, will be despatched as above on

FRIDAY, the 19th Instant, at 3 p.m., This Steamer has superiors First class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,

Hongkong, August 12, 1887 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Ca.'s Steamship

Capt. Guthrie, will be despatched as above FRIDAY, the 19th Instant. For Freight or Prasury, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1519 remaining after the 18th Instant will be

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

Commandant LUGAN. will be despatched for SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA on SATUR-DAY, the 20th Instant, at Daylight.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX; Hongkong, August 15, 1887. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamshin_ Will be despatched for SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAM. shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX Hongkong, August 11, 1887. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. Calling at PORT DARWIN, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND; TASMANIA, &c.)

LIMITED.

The Steamship Captain GREEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on SAFURDAY, the 20th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.. Hongkong, August 13, 1887. THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT) AND

MELBOURNE. (Taking through, Cargo for QUEENSLAND PORTS, ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.) The British Steamer

The British Steamer

Pathan,
Captain Jas. Rowley,
will be despatched as above on or about the 28th Instant. The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers. Fare to Sydney or Melbourne, \$150. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers.

Hongkong, August 12, 1887 Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship SAUNDERS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 29, 1887,

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH. Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD: FOR UNITED STATES AND CANADA

(VIA YOKOHAMA & TACOMA.)

The American Ship Alexander Gibson will be despatched for TAGOMA from YOKOHAMA, about the 31st August, in connection with the above Railroad, and the Undersigned are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading by her.

For Freight, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co... Hougkong, August 10, 1887.

Notices to Consignees.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM -NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG

BATAVIA, SINGAPORE AND SAIGON. HE Company's S.S. Bantam, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong AND KUWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO.,

Lo., at West Point, whence delivery may ... Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Justant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, August 15, 1887.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL

PENANG AND SINGAPORE HHE Steamship New Quinea, Captain WALE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

LOON PIERS and any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into Godowns and stored at Consigneed risk and expense. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on uniess notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY, the 11th Instant. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns; and all Goods

subject to rent. All Claims must reach us before 4 p.m. of the 21st Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, August 11, 1887.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE-TO-CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BRECONSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-DON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE,

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium; are being landed at their risk" into the Godowns of the Kowloon WHARF & Gonown Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th Instant, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON BELL & Co.,-Hongkong, August 11, 1887.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM HAMBURG, LONDON, PENANG

THE S.S. Glenfalloch having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, Lo., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be

AND SINGAPORE.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 13th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,. Agents. Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1528 INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Taisang, having ar-rived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong And KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whence delivery may be

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims must be sent in on or before the 17th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers 1423 Hongkong, August 13, 1887.

Entertainment.

THIARINISGRAND CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE



HAVING ARRIVED FROM AMOY, WILL EXHIBIT FOR A SHORT SEASON UNDER THE MAMMOTH PAVILIONS, at its Old Location,

EAST BOWRINGTON.

Return to Hengkong after a triumphal tour in Japan and Northern China of G. OHIARINI's mighty and incomparable Zoological and Equestrian Exhibition. Beyond contradiction the Greatestface of the Earth.

Signor CHIARINI has the honor to announce that, since his last visit he has engaged several New and Famed Artistes, viz. !-THE GODFREY TROUPE . from the Paris Hippodrome,

France.

Another attraction will be THE HUGE YESSO BEAR which were presented to SIGNOR CHIARINI,

THE EMPEROR OF JAPAN. One is the Largest ever in captivity and

CHIARINI'S CELEBRATED BAND will give a

GRAND FREE OUT-DOOR CONCER for one hour previous to the commencement of each Performance, in front of the vast Pavilions.

COMMENCING

O-MORROW 17th August, 1887.

To Accommodate Parties who wish secure Seats in advance, Tickets will be on Sale daily at the Honokona Horer from 9 a.12-to-5 p.m.

THIS GREAT COMPANY light.

Every Night. (EXCEPT SUNDAYS). Doors opening at 8 o'Clock, Commencing

AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE EVERY SATURDAY Doors opening at 3 o'Clock, Commencing at 4.

Prices of Admission: Private Boxes with 6 Chairs - - -Single Chair in Boxes - -1st Class (Chairs) - ----2nd " Carpeted Seats Children under Tous wears, and Soldiers. under the Rank of Officers, HALF-PRICE,

except to Boxes and Galleries. Reserved Seats will be retained CHINESE LADIES, to which they ONLY will be admitted.

Tickets can be obtained at the Hongkone Hotel, and at the Circus Tieker Office, rom 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. L. MAYA.

Hongkong, August 16, 1887. WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese. TYTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gontlemen; can now be had at this Office. -Price, \$1 each. OHINA MAIL Office

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 50, 000 5

North China Insurance Co., Ld. 5,000 E

Yangtsze Insurance Company, Ld. 5. 8,000 E

Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. ... 24,000 5

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld..... 10,000 ?

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited..... 1,500 \$
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 8,000 \$

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$

1886 E...... 1700,000 TL 250

Chinese Imp. (Ch. Bank Loan) 1885 2790

* Equalization of Dividend Fund,

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CRARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable eithe

pere, in London, or at the principal Rorts of Judia, China and Australia." Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at

Life Department. Policies issued for sums not £5:000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Houghong, July 25, 1872, QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above. Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates, NORTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 15, 1887. NORTH BRITISH'& MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Adents of the above Company, are authorized against FIRE at Current Raise.

TROUPE OF JAPANESE TIAV'S Advertisements.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL TAROM this date the fees charged for all New Pupils admitted to the above

School will be as follows :-In the Upper School, \$5 per month, or \$20 per term. In the Lower School, S4 per month, or

This arrangement does not apply to pupils already in the School. The Christmas term commences on Monday, September 19. Applications for ad-Sunnyside, Hongkong.

By Order of the Committee. Hongkong, August 16, 1887. OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW OH WANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE, Y

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Brown, will be desputched as above or TAURSDAY, the 18th Instant, at Day-

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, August 16, 1887. - 1507. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Will leave for the above places on TUESDAY, 23rd Instant, at 3 E. L. WOODIN

Acting Superintendent. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, August 16, 1887.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Omners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers of Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harhour:-

ALLE Rows, Hawaijan brig, Captain J. Phillips. - Wieler & Co. ELIZABETH NICHOLSON British barque

Captain Goo. Falconor. - Melchers & Co. SHIPPING.

August 15, 1887 :-Merionethshire, British steamer, 1,240, W. Richardson, Foochow August 13, Tea. -ADINSON. BELL & Co. August 16 :-

20 £ 50 Tis. 100,000 Tis. 406,132.00

1,000 \$ 200 \$

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Shanghai August 13, Mails and General.-

Messaceries Maurimes. Shipping. Titan, British steamer, 1,554, R. J. Brown, Liverpool July 1, and Singapore Aug. 10, General .- Butterpield & Swife. Litertes leaves for London. Greyhound, British steamer, 227, Geo. Ampsements: Wright. Pakhoi August 11, and Hoihow 13, General, -A BAMSON, BELL & Co. Changsha, British stenmer, 1,464, F. E. Williams, Newcastle July 27, and Cooktown

THURSDAY, August 18:-

Goods per Breconshire undelivered after General.—Stemssen & Co. DEPARTURES Bormida, for Singapore and Bombay. Hampshire, for Saigon.

Wachusett, for New York. Strathleren, for N-gasaki. Whampon for Anckland and Wellington. Phry Unom Klao, for Bangkok. Raylton Dixon, for Kutchinotzu. Septima, for Bangkok: Kutsang, for Whampoa.

Adgust 3, Coal. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Ashington, British steamer, 809, W.

Reynell, Newchwang via Chefoo, August 6,

Pekinin, for Whampon. Ching-wo, for Singapore and London. Esmeralda, for Amoy. Kwang Lee, for Shanghai. Glenfallo h, for Shanghai.

OLEARED Kashgar, for Singapore and Bombay. Pactolits, for San Francisco. 1340 Anton, for Hothow and Pakhot Antonio, for Kutchinotzu. Lacrees, for Singapore and London.

> PASSENGERS. Per ilva from Shanghai : for Hongkong, peaux, infant, much and servant, Messrs Vincent Smith, Bethlame, L. da Silva, Marine, and 6 Chinese ; for Saigon, Messrs Solland and Claeyssen; for Port Said, Mr Septime Marsh; for Marseilles, Messrs

Inglis, John Riach, and Leon Strauss. Per Titan, from Singapore, 400 Chinese. Per Greyhound, from Pakhoi, &c., Mr E. Henton, and 7 Chinese. Per Changsha, from Newcastle, &c., Mr. Mrs and Miss Hicks, Messrs Durham, Kenedy, Brown; General Wong Yung Ho, Consul U Tsing, and Mr Lum Shing, and

Per Bornida, for Singapore, 119 Chinese. Per Strathleven, for Kobe, Mr J. Ralston. Per Whampoa, for Dunedin, Mr Whittle, and 4 Chinese. Per (him-we for Singapore, 1 Europeau, and 228 Chinese. Per Phra Chom. Klao, for Bangkok, 10

Per Esmeralda, for Amoy, 8 Europeans. Per Septima, for Bangkok, 12 Chinese. Per Zafiro, for Munila, Prof. J. B. Stiere, Messrs Frank S. Bourns, Dean C. Worces. tor. Mrs L. Barretto, infant and servant Mesers J. Rapoll and servant, Angel Lopez and servant, E. L. Moseby, and Matio Francisco, and I Chinese deck. Per Kwany Lee, for Shanghai, 70 Chinese.

For Kashyar, for Singapore, 2 Europeans, nd 241 Chinese. Per Anton, for Holhow, 40 Chinese: Per Lacries, for Singapore, 29 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Titan reports: Had fresh S. W. monsoon and heavy rain through-The British streamer Greyhound reports Had strong gale on the 14th instant, wind

from E. N. E., heavy heard sea The British steamer Changsha reports Had moderate winds and fine weather The British steamer Ashington reports

Loft Newchwang August 6th. Arrived at Chefoo August 7th, and left 10 p.m., same date, had strong S.S.W. winds to Lammocks; thence to port 8. E. to S. W. winds, 1534 with heavy squalls and rain.

> POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW. Per Nanshan, at 9.30 s.m., on Wednes day, the 17th inst.

For SINGAPORE & LONDON: -Per Lucries, at 10.30 a m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOOHOW, Per Namoca at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 17th inst. or SWATOW & AMOY .--Per Cheang Hock Ktan, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst. For SAIGON.-

Per Chine, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst., instead of as previous-For HAIPHONG.

Per Activ, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst., instead of as previously

Closin ; Qu tations, ..

Ava. French steamer, 2,147, Vimont, August 16, 1887. SHARE LIST -QUOTATIONS.

4,500,000 \$ 25,313.43 at 30/ for 1 year 132 %-prem. sellers, cash working a/c to Dec. 31/86 132 %-prem.

3.059.76.7 % for 1886 Tis. 102, sellers

494,400,00 to % for 1885 871, sellers

125,771.29 8 % for 1886 8225 per share

328,567,46|\$27.50 for '85,9385, nominal

243,738,448 6 for 1885 \$80, buyers

_314,012,96 \$6± p sh. /85 \$80 per share, sellers

187,524.75 20 % W annum 873 - sellers

of 2 prem.

Position PEE LAST Report. Last Dividend

March & Sept.

+ Depreciation and Insurance Fund.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Noon.-Namoa leaves for Coast Ports.

0 p.m. - Chiarini's Circus and Monagerie at East Bowrington.

General Memoranda

this date subject to rent. Goods per New Guinca undelivered after this date subject to rente Transfer Books of the China Sugar fining Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 31st Instant, inclusive. SATURDAY, August 20 :--Goods per Glenfalloch undelivered this date subject to rent.

Goods per Taising undelivered after

NOTICE.

this date subject to rent.

GARDEN SEEDS. SEASON 1887-8.

THE following SEEDS required for SOWING in AUGUST & SEPTEMBER can now be supplied, viz :-

CYCLAMEN. CINERARIA

CELERY

Our First Shipment of Assorted Mr. Arthur Engel, Mr and Mrs do Cham-VEGETABLE and FLOWER SEEDS IS EXPECTED SHORTLY.

> Catalogues will be supplied FREE CHARGE on and after the 30th Instant A. S. Watson & Co., Limited. Hongkong, August 13, 1887.

> The publication of this issue commenced at 7.30 p.m.

> > The China Itali.

TELEGRAMS.

(SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL. (Via Southern Line.) -

PERMINONG, TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1887

THE GOVERNMENT AND EGYPT. London, 13th August, 1887. During a discussion in the House the Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs stated that the Government had decided to adhere to its original programme if the cor

ditions were fulfilled by Egypt, but did not

desire exclusiveness. THE RUSSIANS AND PRINCE FER DINAND. It is reported that the Russians deride Prince Ferdinand.

TERRIBLE RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN Lennon, 14th August, 1887. An Excursion train going to Niagara took fire from a burning tressle

(From Straits Times.)

vere killed and wounded.

PARLIAMENT AND THE MILITARY SCANDALS.

London, 6th August. - The motion to reduce General Adye's pension, for gross blundering and negligence in connection with the conversion of the small arms and cutlasses, was opposed by Mr Stanhope or the ground that the system rather than the men was to blame, and rejected. An amendment to reduce the pension by £50 the Polish Count that have been set affort was rejected by a majority of thirteen.

GERMANY AND AUSTRIA The Emperors of Germany and Austria meet to-day at Gastein.

RAILWAY STRIKE. London, 6th August .- A strike of the drivers and firemen has paralyzed the goods traffic of the Midland Railway, and

THE LIBERAL UNIONISTS. The Liberal Unionists gave a banquet to Lord Hartington at Greenwich, Mr John Bright presiding.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUNWARD BOUND :- Hector, June 28: Comorin, July 1 : Tantallon, 19 , Palamed, 26; Sverre, 29; Hesperia, Sarpedon, Palinurus, Aug. 2; Saghalien, 5 ; Diomed, Glenogle, Havre, Moyuns, 9; Ajax, Hindustan, 12. HOMEWARD BOUND:-Orestes, June 24

Iphigenia, 29; August 2: Benvenue, 5; Dardanis, Glenorchy, Cambodia, 9 Deucalion Patroclus, James Watt, 12. The steamship Yangtse, with the FRENCH MATL of July 15th, is to leave Saigon

light on Wednesday, the 17th instant. This Packet brings replies to letters deand June 9th. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s S. S. City of Sydney, with the AMERICAN MAIL of the 23rd July, was to leave Yokohama on Saturday, the 13th instant, at daylight, and

may be expected here on or about-Fri-

day, the 19th inst.

about the 17th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship-Titan, trom Liverpool, left Singapore on the 10th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 16th inst. The O.S.S. Co.'s stanmer Bellerophon, from London, left Singapore on the 11th inst., and may be expected here on or

THE Chinese Commissioners arrived to-day from Australia by the Changsha. We would remind our readers that Chiarini's renowned circus opens to morrow night at East Bowrington,

Fa lottery agency.

Some men in the employment of Chan Kan, contractor, Queen's Road, were found by Police Constable Alexander McIver, on the 12th inst., blasting stones in a quarry hear Ship Street, without having taken any precautions to provent danger to people passing the place. The contractor was brought before Mr Mitchell-Innes in the Police Court to-day, and fined \$20 for his be observed. men's negligence.

Dr. Doberck writes to-day as follows :-Directions to hoist the South Cone were issued yesterday at 1.17 p.m. and to remove this and hoist the ball at 4.30 p.m. The. ball was directed to be taken down at 10.25 a.m. to-day. At 4 p.m. yesterday the following notice was issued: 'Typhoon S. W. of Hongkong moving westward. Fresh S.E. winds prevail over the Northern para of the China Sea and the weather is over-

Two hawkers, named Lung Amun and Yung Asing, were found by the Police yesterday in possession of a large quantity of silver ornaments, including six bangles, seven auklets, seven hair ornaments, and five watch-chains, - They were brought before Mr Mitchell-Innes in the Police Court to-day charged with having obtained the articles by unlawful means. The case was remanded, the defendandts being admitted to bail of \$50 each.

WE learn from Canton that the drought has been felt most keenly in and around the provincial capital. In the Lintau districts the matting makers are suffering serious loss, owing to the fact that the creeks there are dry, and stocks completed cannot be forwarded to Canton. It is to be hoped that the past few days of rain will extend to these districts, and enable the matmakers' stocks to get sfloat on their way to

LUH A .U. a trader, was brought before Mr Mitchell-Innes in the Police Court to-day. charged with giving false information to the Registrar as to the death of a woman -named Wong Hi yesterday. Inspector Gauld stated that the woman, who lived with the defendant committed suicide b hanging herself on Saturday last, and the defendant gave information to the Rogistrar to the effect that she had died of fever, meansui. His Worship remanded the case till to-morrow, bail being fixed at \$50.

THE master of the Fau On pawnshop

Wellington St., was again before Mr Mit-

chell-Innes in the Police Court this morning, the charge against him on this occasion being that of not keeping his books in a crossing the Vermillion river and 100 people proper manner. Inspector Swanston said the defendant had not kept his books in the manner prescribed by Section VIII of Catholic powers, and there are some very many of our readers :- Still later in my ups any description of the stolen clock which he received in pledge on the 2nd instant. The entries were all in a running hand, which the Inspector declared nobedy could understand. His Worship imposed a fin of \$50, and warned the defendant that the next time he appeared on-such a charge his native Christians in China is less by one licence would be withdrawn.

STIMULATED by the wondrous stories abo

in the North, some hair-brained scheme here has evidently been employing his leirailway round the island of Hongkong. Having got his railway constructed on paper he, it would appear, had gone to our morning contemporary and unbosomed himself, finding a ready ear there for hi visionary project. It is needless to say the passenger traffic is partially suspended. that no scheme for the construction of railway round Hongkong has been submitted to or heard of by the Government nor is it likely that any such proposal will be made. The Government has its hands full of work just now, and has, as councit recently published showed, find funds amounting to about 25 million dollars for works already agreed on, not to speak of reclamations and other undertakings. It is not likely therefore that it would embark in an undertaking which would be of no benefit in the present condition of the Colony and which would require an outlay of several millions

EARLY vesterday morning, a junction wa and the tunnel from Wong-nei-chong, which on Sunday, the 14th August, at 7 are-now united in one subterranean passa.m., and may be expected here at day- age, along which we hope in a few months the water from Taitam store will flow. The spatched from Hongkong on June 2nd | work has been a very difficult one. A large of sickness prevailed among the labourer and numerous other obstacles had to be overcome. Fears were expressed some months ago that the join between the two tunnels could only be effected by a mile and a third long, and is six feet were flearing each other, it was necessary, in students, something might be said order to allow the water to flow back and of the tunnel for a short distance, and this raised portion will now have, of course, to then, for the asks of Japan's fair fame,

At the instance of Inspector Quincey, Chan | be made level again. This great undertak- | The North-China Daily News says :- The Akwan, a hawker, was brought before Mr ing, we may now say, has been practically Mitchell-Innes, in the Police Court to-day, completed, and for the successful result that and fined \$100, with the alternative of four has been achieved in Hongkoug, a large months' imprisonment, for keeping a Tez meed of praise must be given to Mr James Orange, the resident engineer, and those who worked with him.

> The Hungo states that there are many cases of cholera at Soochow, and those wh have been attacked, generally succumb within twenty-four hours.

THE Shunpao says that the Board of Cerenony has communicated to the Yamens at Poking, that there will be celipse of the sun at noon on the 19th inst., and that the usual ceremonies must

CONFLAGRATIONS are reported from Ningpo. Wahu, and Wenchow. The fire in Wenchow was unusually serious; though there was scarcely any loss of life, still several hundred dwellings were destroyed, by the fire itself or by pulling down houses.

THE shareholders in the Sheridan Minis Company have been right in trusting the promises made by Mr G. Waters, their engineer, and the success of the mining operations has been even greater than was anticipated. Another remittance, to the value of Tls. 9,400, has reached Shanghaito be divided among the fortunate members. - N.-U. Daily News.

WE hear from Peking that the Fifth Prince, the oldest living son of the Emperor Tao Kwang, is now taking almost as active a part in affairs as the Seventh Prince. Fifth Prince is described as an austere man. plain, truthful, direct, honest, and highminded. He is also very practical and understands the bearings of matters generally. His appearance in politics and government is altogether good .- N.-Q. Daily News.

In the Peking Gazette the Governor Genera of Canton advises the despatch of certain remittances in hills of exchange by the hands of the officer who carries them to Peking. This is in accordance with ancient custom. But in these days, when money is so urgently wanted in Peking, why does That H. E. make his remittances by telegram ? Doubtless Chinese banks in Canton abject slaves whenever the supply of water would arrange to sell him transfers, or if they would not do so the Hongkong Bink the ukases of the most autogratio Czar. The in Hongkong would, we should say, under new Rules and Regulations issued to its take the operation. Thus time and money, customers by the Shanghai-Waterworks in the travelling expenses of the messenger, would be saved and there would be no risk of loss on the bills.

THE N. C. Daily News writes -- We learn

from Peking that M. Constans will be here.

(Shanghai) on his way home, in about four-

teen days. His departure will be regarded

with complacency, as under his brief rule

French diplomacy has been subservient to loan and contract-business, and all the evil practices that have wrought such deadly mer can prevent, unless he locks up his tan damage in Turkey, Egypt and Tunis have and keeps the key in his pocket, he is liable been, as China will find to her cost, in full to have his supply summarily out off; he vogue in the French Legation, and in cer- may not alter a tap without the permission tain of the French Consulates. Monsieur of the Company's engineer; he may not Constant will no doubt obtain a high post | employ any outsider even to stop a sudden in France, in one of the shortlived and fee. leak in a pipe; the Company denies all ble Ministries. He may become Foreign responsibility for damage by water to the Minister, probably even Premier, and so consumer's house, from whatever cause while the body had been removed to Tame and Rouvier, who are his peers. M, is not stipulated that if a consumer has s Constant, by the irony of fate, has had to guest to dinner, he shall first get the perpose, and very reluctabily, as the protector mission of the Company's engineer, and pay of Catholic Christians in France, but as the extra for any water, the guest may drink, unhappy Lo found out, the intervention The Company seems to be trying how far was very disastrous to the people pro the forbearance of its consumers extends tected.' On Monsieur Constans' departure when it wanted the concession from the the whole matter of the French protectorate ratepayers, the latter saw nothing but the Palace has now obtained its heart's desire, from -- N. C. Dawy News. and the Lazarists are to vacate Pehtang a war sooner than the data first fixed. As THE following extract from an old ship-French diplomacy in the question of the master's letter to the New York Maritime protectorate is greatly resented by the other Register, will doubtless be interesting to serious disputations pending in the matters and downs I met Hakodadi Rice, Fresh: of French loans and contracts, we think water Balley and O. B. Bradford, all noted that when China again raises the question, and notifies she will act. France will without more ade promptly capitulate, and withdraw from a pretension to which she had neither legal ner moral right; a pretension-too-that-was utterly destructive of the interests of the Catholic Church in China. In 1887 the number of Catholic half than in 1860, and the immediate result of the judicial murder of Lo. with all its curious and imperfectly understood secre history, is, that in Szechuen many Christians are rumoured to be reverting to the cult of their fathers. Probably the ground is now ready for the teachings of Mahomet, whose followers will protect themselves sure hours recently in devising a plan for a very readily against either literates

The Japan Mail says :- We observe by an

advertisement in the Student that Messrs. Yoshioka and Company, of Tokyo, are commencing the publication of a series of reprints of English novels, tales, stories, &c., of high standard. One number of 60 pages is to be issued each month at lo sen, and yearly subscribers may have the twelve numbers for 1.50 year. Subscribers are promised 'a good collection of eminent auth works exactly suited to their wants.' proposed price does not appear to offer much inducement: Lying before us as we writ is the second volume of Justin McCarthy' 'History of our own Times,' in Harper's Franklin Square Library. The book con tains 132 pages - probably much larger pages than those contemplated by Messra. Yoshioka & Co., though they tell us nothing about this important point-and its price is 20 American cents, or about 26 Japanese s-n. The same publication would cost 33 sen, at the rates advertised by Messrs. Toshicks & Co. What is the gain, then, of reprinting English books in Japan and offering them for sale at prices twenty-six or wenty-seven per cent, higher than those charged for them by American publishers. We fail to see the rationale of this project. For another reason, too, we regret its inception. Mesars. Yoshioka & Co. are simply gothe circumstances, squeamishness on the part of Japanese would be a little superfluous. But it must not be forgotten that work has been a very difficult one. A large the opinion of the world is distinctly amount of rock had to be cut, a good deal against Americs in this matter. She has established a reputation for smartness at the expense of something which, in her own heart and in the hearts of all right thinking persons, is incomparably more valuable. Many of the great American publishers recognise this fully, and, to their honour, are careful to indemnify the Eng awkward curve. It is therefore most sa- lish authors whose works they reprint to pursue a similarly conscientious course two borings were found yesterday to corre- We hope so, but we can assure them that spond exactly. The entire tunnel is about they will not be credited with any such intention by the general public. Why then drag Japan's name through the dirt wide by seven feet high. As the two ends If there were a distinct gain to Japane favour of the scheme. There is no such gain, however. We have shown that the prevent the workmen from being surrounded piracies of Messra. Yoshioka & Company. with water up to the thighs, to raise the floor will be twenty-six or twenty-seven cent. desper than American piracies. Leave the discreditable task to American publishers.

prospectus of 'The Children's Home,' the name having been changed because it is notnow intended to confine it exclusively to girls, was circulated yesterday. The object of the Home and the intentions of its promoters are thus stated: This Home is intended for Orphan and Destitute Children especially girls, of European, American and Eurushin parentage. In the Home the children will receive a plain education and be taught house-work, cookery and sewing. They will be taken from an carly age. according to the discretion of the Committee, and, if circumstances permit, will be retained until they are 18 years of age. when endeavours will be made to obtain situations for them, where their careers can be carefully watched. In some cases it is anticipated that the parents will pay for their support, and the conditions on which such boarders may be received will be determined hereafter.' Mr O. Thorne is to be the President, Mrs Bell the Vice-President, Mr. F. C. Bishop the Treasurer, and Mrs A. R. Burkill the Secretary; and the Committee is a comprehensive one, several Protestant churches being represented on it. It is proposed to take in at least thirty children, and it is calculated that donations must be made to the funds to the extent of Tls. 4 to 5,000 before operations can be begun, and the two ladies from Mrs Meredith's institution in London, who are to take charge of the Home, can be notified to come out. A partial subscription list, which does not even include all the members of the Committee, is appended to the prospectus, and shews that donations to the extent of nearly Tls. 1,000 have already been received, and some annual subscriptions promised. Donations and subscriptions may be paid to The Children's Home account at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, or to any member of the Committee.

It is a curious fact that, however genial, ami-

able, and popular men may be in ordinary

life, the moment they become directors of a.

gas or a water company, they regard the rest

of the world, including there own customers, as their natural enemies, treat them with a haughtiness which they never shew in any other relation, and give their slightest requests the form of despotic orders. The directors of the Shanghai Waterworks Company, who are among the most popular of men, treat the rest of Shanghai as their is concerned; and issue edicts as absolute as Company are a striking instance of this but Bhanghai sold itself into-slavery six years ago, though worned by Mr. Morrison what would be the result of its action, and has apparently to abide the consequences for under the circumstances, no help is to be looked for from the Municipal Council Consumers are forbidden to allow their boys coolies to make use of the water for which they pay; in certain circumstances that constantly occur, and which no consuattain the honours given to MM. Goblet arising; etc., etc. We only wonder that it will, we should expect, be reunened. The velvet glove; now we see only the hand of-

> consuls of that day and stamp. Bradford. however, was not full fledged but h humbugged us more than all the others he ran a hocus pocus consulate, the like of which we may not see again. This fellow, it seemed, struck us whenever he was 'short,' and he was a short cuss any way. I smile at things now that were so hateful then. Under all our disadvantages, I did the same as some of my brother shipmasters, gave back the best I had, and managed to keep them from taking my ship. Then rehet came and not any too The cessation of that three months extra wages and many other burdens to ships, for the benefit of crimps only, dates from the time that Colonel Mosby began to work in our behalf. It is a notorious fact that twenty-four hours after Colonel Mosby took charge of the consulate, to his sternal credit, there was not a dead-head in Hongkong for our Government. Peter Smith's employment was gone and 'beachcombers' ceased to ripple around the sign of the American Eagle. There is one other man who was looked up to at one time, in China, by all the other consuls and consul-generals. is wit and understanding were of the rightest and best, and he was sought after; is countrymen were proud of him. He ot very proud himself and tried to shield the misdeeds of a faithless toady under him from public gaze, though he reprimanded the officer in private, as a few of us know. Then he was sinned against, more than sinning. His affairs were brought nto court, one swore 'they were white and ma swore black. I was in a rage mysel with his underlings and was impatient for their removal for misdeeds, but for the proud man himself I had always sympathy and esteem-I knew them well, he and

A STEP IN THE WRONG DIRECTION. The sentimental philanthropists at Home

lave succeeded in forcing the Imperial accomment to interfere with the working ing to enter upon a career of literary piracy. of the Contagious Diseases Acts in Crown They may plead, to be sure, that American Colonies. Some time ago hints were given publishers set the example, and that, under that the Home Government were likely to take this action, and now it appears that a despatch has been received here from the Secretary of State containing a peremptory order to put an end at once to the compulsory examination of women and to stop taking fees from brothel keepers and in. mates of brothels for treatment in the Lock Hospital. The Secretary of State gives as the reason for his orders the decisions of tisfactory to learn that the centres of the Do Messre. Yoshioka & C mpany purpose two Parliaments on the question of the Contagious Diseases Acts, which left no other course open to him. We do not think there are many in the Colony who will not regard this change as a dire calamity to the Colony. Those who remember the ravages that were made by disease, especially in the Army and Navy, before the introduction of the C. D. Acts are unanimous in declaring that they have effected a vast improvement in the health of the troops and the Navy,

Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$ The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000\$ ex div. The Straits Insurance Co., Ld.......30,000\$ 75,832.52 STEAMBOAT COMPANIES. 11.410.4 6 % half year 934 % prem., sellers HK. O. and M. Steamboat Co., Li. 40,000 \$ Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$ ndo-China S. N. Company, Limited 18,387 £ 4,387.5.97 % for 1885 121 % dis., sellers China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld 3,500 \$ MISCELLANEOUS. 4,260,1216 % for 1886 84 % prem., sellers H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ld, 12,500 \$ 527.3.11 10 % and 2 % \$130 per share, buyers, fully bonus for 14 paid up HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. 5,100 £ Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt.... 3,000 1,321.41 56 half year \$190 ... " - 3,000 aha. issued Ohina Sugar Company, Limited 15,000 \$ 13.781.53 12 7 for 1886 \$143 sellers Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... 5,000 & Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ... 600 & 12 % for 1886 \$50 hominal 514.58 10% for 1886 \$110 ex div. nomina Luzon Sugar Company, Limited..... 7,000 \$
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men had to be sent Home afterly incapatitated for life, and since they have been in Worship, to come up there day after day in operation the evil has been reduced to a connection with these rendition cases, and minimum. It is useless, we know, to duce figures showing the good done by the himself were to consent, he thought his with and not stopped. measure. In their simple logic the thing A Magistrate who had a case on remand, is an evil and must be abolished. They that had been heard by another Magistrate, Acting Attorney General's letter. - class more and more. The inerchants, findforget how many of the laws they advocate themselves are based on the same princi- must re-swear thom. If that were to be done on a charge. That warrant is not here, reliable, first harbour suspicion of the man- been purchased for some 250 tacks by a . The contract has been signed in the name plotthe recognition of a lesser evil to in this case there would be nothing gained. That is all your Worship has got before darius in their hearts, and then the man. friend of the missionary. The official-refus- of the Viceroy Li by the Taotai Chow-fu. check a greator. Their ideals are doubtless laws to the requirements of the people. The policy advocated by the Ball Mall Gazette et hoc genies omne may be the best for Great Britain, where the conditions of is the very worst that could be adopted for

We understand that the Acting Governor. General Cameron, complies very reluctantly with the order from Home. He and all the hearing. Military and Naval-authorities regard-it-as caived are, we believe, only absolutely imperative with regard to the two matters which we mentioned, and the local Government are told to correspond with Singapore so as to have, if possible, a vious case. uniform law with regard to such regulations as are necessary for the provention of slarit is the intention of the Government to retain for this purpose the system of licensing and inspecting the brothels. The Lock Hospital must, of course, now be conducted at the expense of the Colony, and will be open to those who wish admittance. Unfortunately there is every reason to fear that the willingness will not always be coexistent with the need. Whatever other steps the Government are to take will likely be made known at the first or at an early meeting of the begislative Council, when the despatch received from the Home Government will be submitted to the members. Meantime orders have been given that compulsory symmetrion of women and the charging of fees for the Lock Hospital shall coase on the first of next month.

We at first thought, when some weeks. ngo this interference on the part of the be discharged now Home Government was hinted at, that I at the most the change would be of an experimental nature, and that when the evil pears, however, that the instructions with of the most absolute nature, and in no man discharged. way to be regarded in the light of an Mr Dennys-I know what course to take, experiment. There is therefore no chance of moving the Home authorities unless a gaol. favour with the goody-goody sentimentalists at Home, suppressed the laws, such a vigorous protest was made and so conclusive- by Mr. Wodehouse, could you not remand ly was it shown that the evil had in the case ! and clarminaly since the laws were Mr.D. suppressed, that the Home Government reversed the decision of this Govern-The trak that has to be undertaken now is more difficult, but it may not be im-

possible if a combined effort is made. This a not a subject with regard to which there need be any squeamishness or false modesty. What has to be protested against is the withdrawal of a galutary law when the conditions of the Colony are not such as to warrant the withdrawal, and when the resalt of such action may be dire-injury to the health of the Colony and its defenders.

THE CHINESE RENDITION CASE.

A NEW TRIAL FIXED. This case was before Mr Mitchell Innes in the Police Court to-day. It will be remembered that the case crose from an application being made by the Chinese Government to have a man named Chan Tik Cheung, alias Ching Sam, handed over to the Chinese Authorities to be dealt with on a charge of alleged murder and robbery. All the evidence proposed to be led was heard by Mr Mackean before his resignation of the office of Police Magistrate, and Mr Mitchell-Innes had intimated to the solicitors for the prosecution and the defence that he was prepared to decide the case on the evidence led, provided that thenotes of evidence taken by Mr Mackean were considered by himself and the soli-

Mr Wilkinson for Messrs Caldwell and Wilkinson) appeared for the Chinese Government, and Mr Dennys for the prisoner. The Magistrate, addressing Mr Wilkinson and Mr Dennys, said he would like to know what their views were in regard to written indicating his readiness to decide the case as it stood. he did not wish for a moment to do anything that would in any way harm the interests of the prisoner. His only desire was that the case, which had gone on for a long time, should be charge settled as soon as possible, one way or another; and hethought it possible that, Mr Wilkinson and Mesterary acknowledged that it had been en web a laken and contained the gist of wars the been said, and also if it seemed to him assisfactory he night decide the case now. But if any objection was raised to that course, in justice to the prisoner hascould not decide it without a re-hearing. He had thought it quite possible that the solicitors looked upon the case as a clear one, one way br the

Mr Dennys said his Worship was aware that the case was adjourned on the question of whother or not Mr Wilkinson had any right to reply to what he (Mr Dennys) said to the Court in his address .- That was to say, it was to allow that question to be argued that the adjournment was made. Of course he did not know, nor did he suppose his Worship or Mr Wilkinson knew, how Mr Mackean was going to decide the case. but he submitted that if Mr Mitchell-Innes. was going to decide it, he must have the witnesses before him and see their demeanour in Court. Nothing of that could really be gathered from the simple notes taken by another Magistrate. The oross-examination | would be able to explain. of the witnesses was very long, and hepurposely jumped about from one thing to another in order to get the truth from these will give all the information required. witnessen, and even supposing the notes Mr Donnys-And I will ask your Wor- his hall and bows to him. But give him a livered to the two leading men of the gen. finance and construct railways and public Imperial Government in dealing with the were well taken his Worship could not ship not to refer to these notes.

Before the passing of the Acts hundreds of possibly understand what the effect of the cross-examination was from them. It was the 23rd June. no pleasure to him, he could assure his Worship's decision would be utterly illegal. answered it strictly as it was written. He is made client he did not see how he could do so.

of course, take the case de novo. Mr Donnys-My client is not in Court sided and abetted in such acts. life are totally different from here; but it yet, but when he is I am going to ask your. Worship to discharge him. whatever to the case being heard over could not be charged with divers acts of

Mr Dennys said it would not be a rea dire calmity, which is sure to have most | before him and charged with this offence. | charge. arious consequences. The instructions re. He did not think he could touch Mr. Dennys -Your Worship is bound to has made a great start. Though not led, the strength was about half-and-half. -viewed by the actual lights vouchsafed between the two countries. the case as it stood; he must investigate discharge this man unless there is evidence the case for himself.

Mr Wilkinson-And take no notice of these crimes. the previous case? His Worship-No; I don't think I would properly brought before me. be justified in taking any notice of the pre-

ery with regard to the women. We believe if so I should like your Worship to appoint, that he committed these offences. a time, at least a week hence; my withcases have all gone back to Cauton, and it will can swear that he committed any of these though much more might be said about the bability will overrule the decision of the power to emit convertible paper money take at least that time to get them here, offences. The case was absolutely concluded before this unfortunate affair occurred.

> Mr Dennys - No. your Worship, you can't re-hear it because there has been no adjudication. Mr Wilkinson-I don't ask your Worship to re-hear it: I ask you to hear a case that

His Worship I can't re hear the case.

has not been decided. Mr Dennys—The prisoner is before the Court now, and I ask your Worship to dis- note that the Court refuses to inform me common with Japan has taken to European living in a little alley. The Bishop came overturn the labric of the Empire. charge him, because there is no charge as to who is the complainant and what is ways, and cannot come up to Japan, peo- with his four chair-bearers, outrider and against him now. Of course if you bring the offence. another-charge against him, that is a differthere is anything to preclude you from Chinese Government.

His Worship-I' don't know really if I | who charges him. inve any power to discharge the man. don't see that I can interfere with the fast effects were seen, power to revert to the old | case at all. If you object to my taking up system would be easily obtained. It ap- the case as it stands. I have nothing to do with the man at all. I think you must recard to the matters we have specified age apply to the Government if you want the

your Worship, if your send him back to united effort be made by all classes of the Mr Wilkinson There is a charge community, civil and military, to let the before the Court against this man, justify a remand. voice of the Colony by petition or other and that charge must be proceeded wise be known at Home. When Sir John with until the case is completed. the complainant is, my answer to that is do anything; or, if they vainly imagine the foreign secular world has been repre- years in gold!

not hear the case, but wished it to be heard

remand without sworn information. Mr Wilkinson-There is sworn information before the Court in this case. Mr Dennys-No, there is not. There is

pone whatever. oun do is to ask the opinion of the Acting t Attorney General. The case has got so muddled up-one way or another that I shall write to the Acting Attorney General for his opinion, and on that opinion I shall act. AN ILLUSTRATION OF THE GREA!

Mr Wilkinson-Then the case stands as His Worship—Except that the proposal? made has not been accepted and has therefore fallen to the ground.

Mr Dennys-That proposal was at an end, your Worship, before we came into His Worship then intimated that he had sent a note to the Acting Attorney General, asking him to express an opinion on the

Mr Dennys-Your Worship does not ask my concurrence in this; you don't ask me whether I think it is a proper thing to do. His Worship-Oh no. Mr Dennys-Because my opinion is decidedly the other way.

After an interval of about half-an-hour a caply from the Acting Attorney General. and his opinion was, that as there was a complaint and warrant against the prison-

anything in the case I would ask what is the they have not fully applied them, still tor would also ask your Worship not to look at the is they have got the measures but not the depositions or any documents in the former | men. Now, we observe that Japan is takcase at all. I simply ask the Court this now. on behalf of my client.

His Worship-My reply is 'committing it would not be a crying evil. certain crimes or offences against the laws of China, to wit, divers acts of murder and Japan learns European ways, and makes burglary; or aiding and abetting in the money; while China learns European committing of such acts of murder and bur- | ways, and squanders money. glary within the jurisdiction of China. The where we differ from Japan. It is the complainant is entered as Wm. Quincey.

Mr Dennys-With all respect I have a merce by the encouragement of manufacto-day, but we hope for more. right to know what the specific charge is. Mr Wilkinson-Your Worship will find promptly helped in the first instance with that a specific charge was made afterwards, Government capital, by which the objects and it is now before your Worship.

Mr Dennys-I would ask your Worship not to refer to that case at all. His Worship-I am not referring to it:

Worship what the specific charge is and must be made not by the Chinese Govern-Government and I want to know who that

His Worship said Mr Wilkinson was ap- vate the merchants, without questions meaning or the tease, and the difficulties; and decided The new bank, provisionally, is to have mean of England were naturally indignant to dispose of the difficulties; and decided The new bank, provisionally, is to have mean of England were naturally indignant to dispose of the difficulties; and decided to intimacy with the mandarin, that the parties concerned should be in no a first capital of 10 million of tasls, but that they should be made the victims of a Feeligh water at Whampos; 2 hrs. 80 His Worship said Mr Wilkinson was ap-Mr Wilkinson - I vefer your Worship to the still dreads the mandar neal the same, haste to redoom. If nothing else arises in when in full swing will have, it is said kind of Continental conspiracy to close the evidence taken on 23rd June, which For the mandarin keeps no faith. In his the future the property may be held for the funds amounting to 100 millions of tacls. the English markets against English work.

if he could in justice to his client shorten General he would find the case was put very simply scrambling for a position by wife, and in the settlement of the suit in fature of its rights, claims, &c., pass all of the English industry. If that failed, the the case he would be quite willing to do so, clearly. The man was there before the which they may make sorded gain, then, her favour, the official wrote a sentence on experience and will be found unmanageable; only other policy was retaliation. A conargue with the fadists at Home and to pro- But even if his friend, Mr Wilkinson, and Court on a charge that had been proceeded while the mandarins have no faith, the deeds, saying she could sell to whom- To manage a scheme one tenth as large ference had already been invited on the Mr Dennys-Not-at-all.

must have the witnesses, in Court, and. Bir Dennys-What he says is that this ing themselves despised and contemned, property. The missionary took a perpo- and minimised, so that apertures are left result might be the English Government must read over to them their statements, and man has been arrested under a warrant and and also finding the mandarins often un-

eral charge was in accordance with the Or-His Worship thought the only thing to dinance, and it was for his Worship now to

> before you on oath that this man committed His Worship-It appears that the man is

of his liberty, and you have no right to do Mr Wilkinson Before the prisoner is so until there is a specific charge made. brought in I should like your Worship to You have no right to remand him for a China now uses nothing but Japan matches refused. The local Magistrate received practice of an institution like that now say whother you will re-hear the case; and single day unless there is sworn evidence bought at 3 or 4 cash a box. From this notice, and told the Christians that as they proposed. The replies given to enquiries

> Mr Wilkinson-No, your Worship, there the hands of China, the growth of tea, such compulsion. are none of the witnesses here.

British subject suppose he were one of the established arsenals and docks; so also has has appointed a deputy sub-praject to assist proper for a special state department, an leading merchants in Hongkong instead of a China; but still China goes to Japan to in all such cases. This official, therefore, not for a bank. Also, that to give to Chinese coolie, would your Worship remand purchase guns and repair ships and Japan helps to prepare the way, mediate and save bank not only financial and coinage bus him ?-not likely.

case till this day week.

ont matter, and if you wish to bring the to do so. The prisoner has been arrested get the reality; how can she maintain a After the Bishop left, the Protestant to have been named, so I am told. The some charge against him I don't pretend on a warrant on a complaint made by the competition with others in that way? Just Missionary, an American, come to call. As National and International Amelgamete doing so, but I submit that he is entitled to | Mr Demys-The prisoner is entitled to fic Ocuan, her rivers mere ribbons and no crowd gathered, but the official felt as if at the last. It is now the 'Chinese-Amer

> he is charged with divers acts of murder scious of her own poverty and weakness and and Protestants, both in custom and faith. tacks in 100,000 shares each Tis. 100. B and burglary committed within the juris | meditating how to get rich and strong. As the Tautai and his Deputy are both by and bye the capital is to be raised diction of China.

> objection - that divers acts of murder the name of doing many things, but in Catholic church. It is of late years that to extent of half of its capital, finances a and burglary is not a specific offers, overy case only opening another way of Protestantism has come to their notice. It milways, public works, naval and militar and that the prisoner to entitled to know | wanton waste. And the great peril of the should be the aim of each church to have as contracts, in short everything small what specific offence he is charged with situation lies in this that if China will rest little business and as much friendliness as great. Also provides for coinage for the and who is the complainant. There is no content with poverty-and weakness now, possible, and the church that is the most Empire. evidence whatever before the Court to without carnestly seeking wealth and peaceful will receive the greater-official. The Chinese espital at first is Tle. His Wership-If you want to know who the condition as inevitable and not dare to In addition to missionary relationship, at 3 per mit per month, but repayable in

Pope Hennessy, in his efforts to carry Supposing a man had been brought before that he is an officer named Li Loi. . I that they are rich and strong, and some sented. Mr. Kingsmill of Shanghai return- For the bank the Chinese provide half your Worship this fourning and you could -Mr Dunnys - What officer? Is he a fine morning make a dash and strike a blow, ed from his survey of the Grand Canal be capital, and the American syndicate the Colonel or Lieutenant or what ?

His Worship—Yes, he is called a Colonel

Mr Dennys - Thank you. This-concluded the discussion. The case will be opened de-novo this day week.

BY THE SMALL: CHINA AND JAPAN.

(Translation.)-The nations of Europe are advancing and China is retrograding day by day. The anthorities in China, in view of this fact, have turned their thoughts to strengthening their country, and so they are imitating Europe in everything. Even the timehonoured system of literary examinations is to be changed for examinations in science. Those who first started these ideas found them despised and unsuitable, but now there may be said to be a general de-His Worship said he had now-received termination to carry themout. The power and prosperity of Europe however are like a blazing fire which no appliances can put er, and as the case had not been decided, out, while the poverty and weakness of he could not be discharged. His Worship China go on increasing like the Kiang and therefore thought a day should be fixed the Ho whose flow cannot be stopped. The suspicion that they have not yet got full Mr Dennys Before your Worship does possession of European methods, or that complaint and who is the complainant. I ments the leaders of the Empire. The fact ing up with European ways as well as China; but Japan does things differently, His Worship I understand the com- and China is nowhere in comparison. plainant is the Chinese Government and Some say the officials of China only take the charge is contained in these minutes advantage of this movement to soil their fingers, and are not capable of honestly Mr Dennys-Of course, I don't know carrying it out. But this is only one thing. what your Worship means by these mi- If this movement were really adding to the nutes, and I ask you to state what is the country's wealth, they might be allowed to have even more perquisites than now; and

> Let us go to the root of the matter. European custom to recognise the importance of wealth-as-derived from comtures. Hence all great new inventions are of trade are greatly promoted, so that the merchant is also held in high esteem there. Now, you may wish the nation to be rich,

these individuals have none either, and the sover she wished. natural consequence is that the manifarins Mr Mitchell-Innes-If you assure me ' His Worship said he understood that the of ascending 19,000 li to the gate of sion.

Mr Wilkinson maintained that the gen- sonally and holds inspections, bestowing the property will be restored. inerchauts are equally respected; and fecture several riots have occurred between all experience, violates all economic prin- M. Flourens, in reply, expressed his grief be done was for the man to be brought fix a date to hear evidence on the specific there is no leaving of one class out in the native Cutholics and the heathen neight ciples, and contains in itself elements of that the press should adopt a tone calculated the cold. Accordingly commerce in Japan bours. As the village is about half divid- weakness and instability, so much so that to injure the relations at present existing yet quite up to the state of things in A temple was torn down and turned into a Europe there is no comparison of the Japan chapel. The chapel in turns was torn . In the main the scheme reproduces the of to-day with the Japan of the olden time. down, and preparations made for erecting proposals made to the Vicercy Li in 1885 Take for example matches which when a little temple. This case has been pre- at a famous interview at which Mr Russell they first came to China were sold at 11 or | sented to the Tantai and Treasurer.

manufacture of cloth, porcelain, &c. &c. -all

strength, the next generation will accept favour.

Mr Wilkinson-Oh, this is merely wasting Of course Japan in her proudest day would prepared an extensive report and finally had above described the Chinese find their never drawn of measuring herself with China an interview with the Governor. The Government shares thus :- The Imperial Government time at alle fas to mare size but the fact that I man in Jurior gaining some additional date, will issues hands consuchly at remote dates and I want to know if he is described as Colonel. so far as she has got in the imitation of now probably come out with another ela- bearing 3 per cent. per annum interest. Would your Worship inform me ! European ways has by every step improved borate Memorial. Whether the English. These bonds are to be sold and held in her financial position, while China has only Lman's theories will be adopted, no one, not in the service of H.I.M. the Emperor of squandered her scanty means, points clearly even the Governor himself, can now tell. misorable failure in the other and if China of the Vallow River have been made, and does not now bring her talent and her floeded fields may again be seen. The Go the other half, resources to the front, the time for doing so | vernor has begun foud-relief for the destiwill lever come. A man should see himself | tute, but to each one helped it seems no China. not only in the glass but also in the face of other people, therefore we would use Japan to stir up Chins. It is far from our intention to glorify Japan at China's expense,

> Careful and far-seeing poservers will cortainly not deem these observations wide of the mark. - Chang-ngoi-san-pu,

but things may become plainer by a com-

Canton.

-(Brom our Correspondent.) Aug. 15, 1887. His Excellency the Viceroy Cheung Chi Tung is at present passing under a some what heavy cloud. His son Chaung K'un, whose familiar designation is Cheung Kwan Lap, is said to be a young man of somewhat irrogular habits. Some time ago this son entered the list of competitors for the degree of Sau Tsoi or Budding Talent, but instead of going into the examination himself he engaged unother person, whilst he enjoyed the society of some Shanghai friends in that gay and festive port. After the examination the students posted placards on the Literary Chancellor's Yamen, stating that as Choung K'un was not present, they would not submit to his passing the examination by proxy. Literary Chancellor was bound to notice of the students' grievance, and conse quently Channo K'un and his father Cheun Chi Tung are both in disgrace. This must be a beavy blow-for His Excellency, who has had such a reputation for literary

There is some talk of a Company being stated to run four steam-launches from Canton to various cities in the San district. We understand the Company proposes to pay the Government \$10,000 per annum for the monopoly.

appointed Brigadier General of the troops at Kit Shek in the South of the province. The local authorities here have been praying for rain which is much needed in the country districts. A little has fallen

Chi-nan Fu.

(N. C. Daily News correspondent.) The difficulties that have been met by but, if you do not open the fountain of the American missionaries in the matter of and is a man of uncommon vigour of mind Mr Dennys I am asking you now what wealth, it cannot be; and if you open the property have been satisfactorily settled, at and ability; he is also persona grata with senting 26 trades unions waited on the is the charge before you not what may fountain of wealth but do not liberally least, for the present. As to the future it the Viceroy. have been before Mr Mackean. I ask your foster commerce, it cannot be. China is impolitic to prophesy either ill or well. At the present time, when there is an urgent instruction of the people as to motives, and the mysterious circumstances. ment but by a particular officer of that want of the ways and means, the road is so cause the question to aubside. Later on The fleet of the China Merchants S. N. thrown wide open for contributions, and four of the officials, under special instruct Co. will again, it is supposed, be placed, the mandaring show a disposition to culti- tions of the Governor, examined into the sooner or later, under the flag of the United vate the merchants, without questions meaning of the lease, and the most just way States. urgent need he wolcomes the merchant into three years. Such was the message de. It will also be a crédit mobilier, and will men. There were two courses open to the

His Worship-It was a charge made on the yard the bld proclamations about ped. lord and headmen. In addition, the provide for coinage, emit paper money, and bounties, and of these two courses a choice. dling brokers and villainous traders. Sup- officials have promised protection and right serve as an initiatory measure for the would have to be speedily made. One of Mr Dennys—I don't know what that is pose that no honest merchants go to the in the purchase of property. One old lady, unification and centralisation of the Empire. these was to expostulate with the Centinen-like Wilkinson said if his Worship would Yamens, and those who do cultivate the known to be desirous of selling to the for- The scheme is too vast. There are good, tat Governments, by whom this bounty sysreturn to the letter of the Acting Attorney friendships of the mandarins are all eigner, had a lawsuit in the Magistrate's very good elements in it, but the limitless tem was encouraged, to the direct detriment

The American Missionaries seeking to ance of proportion is so great that we ference, he thought it unwise to discuss the His Worship-I intend acling on the despise and contemn the whole trading inaugurate a station at the city of Linching suspect the sincerity of the Chinese offi- the probable action of England; but he

Mr Donnys-But you are depriving him 12 copper each box, and at the very low-

Mr Dennys-Suppose this man were a of which bring her profit. Then Japan has management of foreign affairs. The Taotai China, but that the business of coinage never comes to China for any such pur his superior needless calls. He himself ness but in addition all contracts of an · His Worship said he would remand the poss. Uonsidering the vast extent of China, felt, as he said, a touch of persecution, the kind whatsoever will inevitably be the the multitude of her able men, and her other day. The Roman Catholic Bishop, means of inflicting a most calamiteus an Mr. Dennys-Then your Worship will wealth of material resources, when she in an Italian, called on the inferior official crushing-blow-that will imperil and perhap ple have not failed to remark that China is red umbrella, and drew quite a crowd to His Worship-The Court never refused seeking only the name, and not striving to the scone and to the chagrin of the novice. The new foreign banking institution we look at Japan; whittle corner in the Paci- he came in a more humble and quiet way. Bank, but a shorter-title-has been take know what offence he is charged with and her land a mere basketful, putting his duties were getting arduous. He has, can Bank, or in Chinese Hwa-mei-yin forth energy like a here already crowned however, to learn diplomacy, as well as to hong, His Worship-My answer to that is that with success, while China to this day, con- learn the distinctions between the Catholics The capital at first is to be 10 million keeps up unchanged her spirit of reckless- Kweichow men, they from childhead have Tis. 100,000,000, as, as has been proposed Mr Dennys Then you will note my ness and her habit of taisses faire; having known much of the Roman Tis. 150,000,0 0. It issues paper mone

> the result will be disaster and grief unfold. | tween Che-ning-chow and Lan-ch'ing-ohow, other half. After the preliminary loan more than the widow's inite. The Yellow Riger problem is becoming official, now for reason, without official rank, each year, more and more complex and jun- But he comprehends finance, and Mr. Jay

conquerable. The principles of River con- Gould could—the experience of Erie and the trol seem not yet to have been compred Western Union notwithstanding teach the hended. Expenses increase : plans are un- ex-Taotai nothing. folded; reforms are projected; but the power of the waters is still an enemy, not a

THE GREAT CONCESSIONS. (N.-C. Daily News.) from the northern ports regarding the Half the board is American; half Chinese. letters of our Correspondents differ, as accepted by telegraphic message from Vanmight be expected where such great care | derbilt and his party. was taken to keep the negotiations secret, and so many imaginative statements have Shanghai, and later in every important. been placed in circulation in Tientsin.

negociations were commenced in London, the Government treasury. It also collects where Mr Butler acted as intermediary the Customs revenues. with the Marquis Tseng. Pressure was then The most strange part of the contract is brought to bear on the Viceroy Li by the that the bank may become co-owner of any Chinese Minister at Washington. Finally, railroads in China, also of Telegraphs. after much written and telegraphic corres- Thus, by a short chuse, all exclusions are pondence, Mr Butler appeared in China at an ond. to make straight the naths, and after a discreet interval. Ma Kien-chang presented or Egypt she may be more fit to withstand himself here to introduce Count Mitkiewicz, the convulsion, for such it is. My own and was followed by Shang Taotai. The opinion is that the Imperial Chinese Goarrangement made is curious. We do not vernment does not yet comprehend the net know all the details, but they may fairly be into which it has walked, but before longstated as follows :---- Alunn is made by the American Syndi- frem the smare.

or as much of them as may not be pledged. appointed by China will not be too watch-It is possible that the Chinese Telegraph Lau I, the leader of the Brack Flags, is Administration may be also liable, but such | Special endeavours are made to keep the 100, a line, if made, would not be as the law contract secret. No wonder. It is said now stands-valid or tangible as a security. It would appear then, that the Chinese do not touch the money lent. It is a sum in an account, provided for by a loan, and remains in the control of the actual lenders who will, according to agreement, advance Australian papers brought on by the Changfurther funds from their own means. The Sheng and Ma. Sheng is Taotai of Chefoo.

The second man is for one million tacks, should be taken to secure the abolition despises commercial men, and treats them One of the missionaries, in an interview It bears no interest, and no term-for repay. of the Sugar Bounties. The deputation who the complainant is. If you refer to with contempt. However much they may with the Governor on another matter, re- ment is stated. Various accounts are given pleaded that some legitimate means consis. Day of the Ordinance you will find that the charge wish for recognition, their way is blocked. ceived assurances of peace, by a gradual of the purpose of this very special loan and tent with freetrade should be adopted to

by it : it would be far more satisfactory to you : you have nothing to do with these darins and they become alienated both in | cd protection. The deeds were sent to the The Taotais Sheng and Ma are parties to it. have the case tried do noto. With reference notes. heart and in life. The mandarins, then, American Consul at Chefoo, who reported The Viceroy Li has signed and scaled a Edward Hanlan and Jacob Gaudaux on grand, but th y can only be realised in a to the letter written to him by the Chief | Mr Wilkinson-Your Worship has to finding the mer hants allenated in heart it to the Taotai of that places. He in the letter of confirmation and conditional acceptance. Lake Calumet, North America, yesterday, perfect State, and just as imperatively as Clerk in regard to the case, he took it deal with these notes up to a certain point and life, have no help but to resort to vio- reported it to the Taotai at the capital. The letter is addressed to an for the championship of America and a contract to viopercet State, and just us imperatively and for the championship of America and a literally—perhaps to die literally—perha ties they send out adopt all sorts of false to examine into the case. Later the local syndicate. It is not to be expected that Gaudaur. just his treatment to the committee of had no objection whatever to shorten the Mr. Dennys I submit that you have no pretexts to extort money, and are just like official sent a petition to the Governor. The the provincial authorities, who will present his patient, so is it necessary to adapt case if he could do so, but in justice to his right to deal with these notes in any way wild beasts preying upon the people in Governor has ordered the lease to be ly find their occupation gone, will remain every direction. Who can work the miracle stamped, and thus give right to the posses- passive. A strange fact has become known. The Chinese manager of the new bank, one Society, has written to The Times, comthat it would not be fair to your client that warrant which had been acted on was a heaven' (the Emperor's gate) to present a The Roman Catholic missionaries have correspondent says, will be Yang, formerly plaining that French vessels are engaged in any other course should be adopted I shall, warrant to apprehend this man for divers complaint? In this state of the Board of Revenue at kidnapping the natives of the New Heacts of murder and burglary or for having can the fountain of wealth spring up | New, three cases. One case is in the city of Peking. His course there is well known: brides and the Solomon Islands. Japan in her adoption of European ways Tung-ch'ang-fu. A property belonging to He was dismissed and degraded; and finally FRANCE AND GERMANY; COMPLAINT BY THE Mr Donnys said that was the only war- has in view the promotion of commerce the Catholics from the beginning of the was deprived of all rank. Nothing in this rant : and he submitted that this was all And though everything may not be yet dynasty has been used for many years as a remarkable business is said to have more London, July 15.—Count Munster, the Mr Wilkinson said he had no objection his Worship had before him. The prisoner perfectly equitable in the trade of Japan; yamen. The Mission now wants to reclaim astonished Chinese official observers than German Ambassador in Paris, has comone thing is certain that officers and super- and utilise the property. Objections have this particular appointment. We write plained to M. Flourens, the French Minisagain; he left the matter entirely in his murder and burglary. It must be a specific | visors refrain from intimidation and exter- been offered. The Bishop, however, shows | without any animus against the vast and | ter for Foreign Affairs, of the action of the tion. The Emperor of Japan visits per- the original deed, and so in all probability all embracing scheme. If it could be put Radical press in inciting the French people into practicable shape there are good fea- against Germany, and instilting the German encouragements and rewards. Officers and In one of the villages of the same pre- tures in it. But at present it transcends embassy.

> we expect to see rather callapse than success. Young, the Minister of the United States, In the prefecture of Tai-an it was tried assisted with much ability and fervour. est 8 or 9, being then a sort of monopoly, - to force the native Christians to pray for Already the Chinese officials are making Japan has taken up this industry, and rain in the heathen style, The Christians minute enquiries regarding the theory and one instance of matches it is plain enough were Chinese subjects they must quiform seem to be all of one pattern, viz. :- that His Worship-There is no one here who that commerce is prospering in Japan, to Chinese-customs. The Tactai in all pro- an Imperial bank with large capital and trade in seawed which she is taking out of local official, as the law is too plain to allow | under State guaranty is not only a desirable but has become a necessary institution Another feature has been adopted in the That coinage should be unified throughout

millions, lent by Vanderbilt and associate

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In America the eldest of the sons of W. H. Vanderbilt is President. With him will be associated a Chinese official; possibly the Chinese Minister with some nominal power of veto. Mr Vanderbilt appoints the foreign manager in China, and names Some further advices have reached us the American part of the board in China. American concessions. The details in the | The contract is provisional, but has been

The bank opens first in Tientsin and provincial city in China, part by branches According to our Correspondents the and partly by agencies. The bank becomes

As China has more vitality, than Turkey

will make violent efforts to disengage itself cate of 21 millions of taels at 3 per mil per. In the contract are all sorts of provisions month for five years, 3.6 per annum. The that the new bank is to give money at sum, nominally, is the Chinese purtion of cheap rates, as cheap as the rates named by the capital of the new National and Inter- other banks. Also all railway, military national Amalgamated Bank that is to be naval and other contracts are to be at rates founded with extraordinary special pri- as cheap as those of other competitors. vileges, concessions and immunities. This But all these conditions are absurd. The loan is made on the security of the China bank wiff have the means of evading or Merchants' S. N. Co.'s. fleet and property, stifling competition, managers or directors

LATE TELEGRAM. We take the following telegrams from

tha which arrived to-day Chinese companies represented by Taotai THE SUGAR BOUNTIES :- DEPUTATION TO THE ENGLISH PREMIER.

Lindon, July 24 -A deputation repro-Prime Minister yesterday to urga that steps secure this result. Lord Salisbury, in reply, said that the

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THE HANLAN-GAUDAUR RACE. . London July 24 .- The race between

THE FRENCH IN THE PACIFIC. London, 15th July .- Mr F. W. Chesson, the secretary to the Aborigines' .. Protection

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